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NO. 26.

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Married Seven Times.
Uncle Johnny Runyan, a pioneer settler of eastern Kentucky, and well known all over the State, is dead at his old home in Pike county, near Regina. He was 103 years old, and leaves twenty-three living children and a thousand descendants. This remarkable old man died in the same hut he began housekeeping in more than eighty years ago. His wife, who survives him, is 102 years old. He has been married seven times.

The Value of the Local Paper.
One young lady knows the importance of giving personal items of news to the editor, says the Dover News. She went away on a visit, and the News said so. She returned, and the editor was silent. Then she sat down in quietude and wondered why her best fellow didn't write. She grew sad and pale as the days waxed long. Tears grew in her eyes as she waited and he wrote not. With a desparation born of despair she asked an explanation. His excuse was a valid

one. He had seen a notice in the News of her departure. He had waited for a notice of her return.

The 4th Kentucky.

Already the prediction is freely made that the Fourth will be the finest regiment to leave Kentucky. It will go from here with 1,300 men, big, stalwart fellows already hardened, and perhaps more able to stand service than any regiment of volunteers in the entire country. In fact, there is no doubt but what these men could undergo right now just as many hardships as the regulars. Of course they are deficient in military tactics, but being capable of standing so much work they can soon become drilled.—Lexington Leader.

Pink-Eye in Scott County.

Harry Blackburn informs us that he has thirteen head of horses affected with a disease known as pink-eye. Every horse on his farm is affected and he has not even one that he can

use. This is the first we have heard of this disease for some time, and it is to be hoped that it will not become an epidemic in this country.—Georgetown Sentinel.

L. W. Gaines, retiring President of the Kentucky Press Association, in his address praises the grand old State as follows:

"We have in Kentucky the biggest caves, the fleetest horses, the finest churches, the best schools, the richest minerals, the best sulphur water, the most modest editors, the best fed preachers, the fattest cattle, the biggest shocks of wheat, the largest tobacco fields, the biggest ears of corn, the most diversified climate, the most politics, the prettiest women and the smartest babies in the world.

When the Charleston was bombarding the forts at Ladron Islands the Spanish Governor, not knowing that war had been declared, thought he was being saluted, and sent out word to the American Commander that he regretted that he could not return the salute as he hadn't powder enough.—Exchange.

Northern Bank Liquidates

By the volunteer action of stockholders of the Northern Bank of Kentucky, the oldest and the bank with the largest capital stock in the State, have agreed to go into liquidation. The capital stock of this bank is upward of a million dollars.

The Northern Bank was established in 1835. It succeeded to the business of the old United States Bank, which stood on the same spot in Lexington where the present building now stands, and has enjoyed a long season of prosperous operation.

More Trouble in Clay.

A special from Barboursville says: "Persons from Manchester arrived here this evening giving details of another bloody tragedy in the Baker-Howard feud. John Baker, a brother of Thomas, the leader of the Baker faction, was released from jail Monday and went back to Clay. While on his way home from Manchester, accompanied by a negro, they were fired on from ambush by the Howards and Whites and both were killed by the first volley. The men in ambush then rushed out and fired forty-one 45 calibre bullets into Baker's body and twenty into the negro's. A later report says a man by the name of Clark, a member of the Baker side was also shot from ambush."

Some of our country merchants are rendering themselves liable to severe fines on account of failure to observe the provisions of the stamp law which went into effect July 1. All stocks on hand which were liable to be stamped should have been stamped at once. For instance, all soaps that are recommended as complexion soaps, or

as good for skin diseases, such as Cuticura, etc., must have a stamp one-eighth of a cent on each five-cent cake. All patent medicines and proprietary remedies must be stamped. All tolu, even in broken packages, must have a four-cent stamp for one dollar's worth or less. A fine of fifty dollars for each failure may be inflicted.—Exchange.

The following letter is said to have been written an editor by a man who felt that taking his county paper was a waste of time and money:

"I think fokes otto stop paying out ther munny fur papers my dad dident an' ivry buddy sed he wuz the intelligentes man in the kentry and razed the smartest fambily of boize that ever dug taters."

It is a peculiar fact that with most men the growth of the hair is greater on one side of the face than the other. It is said that hair always grows more quickly on that side which we are strongest.

Subscribe for your home paper, it costs less than 1c a week.

Zootherapy consists in transferring a disease from man to some animal, and is the converse of medical theory that animals convey disease to man. This system of curing ills was devised by Ferapi, a Florentine. He mentions the case of a man suffering from rheumatism who made his dog lie across his bed. The man recovered and the dog died.

A Curiosity in a Duck.

Mr. Belle Dugger has a curiosity in the possession of a duck with four perfectly formed wings. One pair of the wings are situated near the center of the back, and when it swims these wings flop at a rapid gait above water. The duck is full grown and bids fair to reach a ripe old duck age.—Somerset Reporter.

Only an Oversight.
"See here, I only got one piece of meat in my order to-day. I always get two."

Head Waiter—"That's so. Guess the cook must have forgotten to cut the piece in two!"—Exchange.

The Mother Tongue.

Willie—"Papa, why do they call language the 'mother tongue'?"

Papa—"Because the father so seldom gets a chance to use it."—Philadelphia Call.

It is computed that an inch of rain falling upon a square mile of land is equivalent to 17,500,000 gallons of water.

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Special notices 5 cents per line,
each additional insertion 25
cents.

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For the convenience of our sub-
scribers we have arranged club-
bing rates with the following pa-
pers at prices below named:

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" Cincinnati Enquirer 1.15
" Detroit Free-Press 1.00
" Louisville Commercial 75
" Home and Farm 75
" Louisville Daily Post 2.50

Although we have no faith in
flattery, the flatterer after all
attracts us. We cannot but feel
some gratitude towards one who
takes the trouble to lie to please
us.—Exchange.

It has been calculated that it
will take \$800,000,000 a year to
run the Spanish-American war
on the part of the United States,
and Spain is a seventh rate Euro-
pean power. Since it costs so
much to fight a seventh rate pow-
er, we wonder what it would have
cost two or three years ago to
have fought Great Britain about
the boundary line of a little piece
of wild land away down in Ven-
ezuela, South America.

This is a land of paradoxes.
With an overproduction of food
the people starve. With an ab-
undance of labor to perform
there is no one to hire. With an
abundance of people wanting
money the banks hold millions of
idle capital. With a powerful na-
tion, capable of creating its own
money, it goes to ruin for want
of it. With mountains rich with
silver and congress elected to
coin it, the congress demonetizes
it. With a people capable of free-
ing themselves at the ballot box,
they continue voting themselves
into slavery.

Probably the newspaper, lies
about the war which have been
published in newspapers of
large circulation would fill one
volume, and probably the lies
which newspaper reporters have
been compelled to tell about the
war would fill another volume,
and probably the lies which
newsboys tell in regard to the
times of day or night, Sundays
and week-days, at which the e-
ditions they offer for sale have
been issued might fill another
volume, and probably the lying
about other things which will
come from the teachings of
these newspapers lying might
fill another volume, and a pret-

ty large one too. If our war
(as has been represented) is a
"Holy War," it is a terrible
pity that it has given rise to so
much lying.

What is said to be the most
costly American flag ever made
is now on view in a show win-
dow under a Broadway, New
York hotel. It is six inches
long and four inches wide. It is
composed entirely of diamonds,
rubies and sapphires, and is
said to have cost \$50,000. And
yet there are thousands under
this flag suffering from hunger.

The fact that Spain still refus-
es to sue for peace, after the
crushing defeat she sustained on
land and sea, and in view of the
certainty that Porto Rico, Cuba
and all the Spanish possessions
lie at our mercy makes it evident
that certain European powers are
holding out to the Spanish gov-
ernment the hope of intervention
and aid. We believe that we
might take Porto Rico and Cuba
without the protest of Europe,
but we believe that complications
of a most serious nature would
grow out of the seizure of the
Philippines or an attack on the
coast of Spain.—Louisville Dis-
patch.

The Louisville school board
is arranging a novel aid to the
temperance and anti-tobacco
cause, says an exchange. It is
proposed to introduce into the
schools a course of study which
will show the effect of narcotics
and alcoholic stimulants on the
human system. By thus showing
the children the evil it is
thought they will refrain from
cultivating the habits. But you
can bet it won't work. Show a
boy a yellow jacket's nest and
he'll jump right into it as soon
as he can find another boy and a
paddle.

The time of the year is here when
the roads of this part of the coun-
try get what little work they are
to receive during the year. We
hope the people will learn a less-
on from the experience we have
had in the miserable bad roads
this spring and summer, and es-
pecially in the winter season of
any year. It seems impossible to
get the people interested in the
roads over which they travel so
much. Every one is ready to
condemn the overseer when the
roads get impassable and dangerous,
but no one seems willing to
help work the road only when
they are in this condition. We
believe if the overseers would use
more authority and make the
hands fix the roads good as far
as they go, even though they
may not get so much of the road
in perfect repair, they would get
along with their hands better
and at the same time have much
better roads. Let everyone who is
a road hand, when we are warned
in to work the road, go early in
the morning and not grumble at
how the road is to be fixed, or
the amount of work proposed to
be done, but be ready at all
times to help the overseer, or any
one else who is interested in

good roads, make the best dirt
roads in this or adjoining coun-
ties, and the travel of the roads
will be changed from a burden to
a pleasure.

The TIMES receives a number
of compliments from almost ev-
ery section in which it circu-
lates, and many wonder how we
manage to publish such a paper
in so small a place. We highly
appreciate all such talk and in-
tend to show our gratitude to
our neighbors who so generously
support this paper, by giving
them the best paper we can
make and at a price and on
terms that will enable every-
body to take it.

For the same thing that Ju-
dias betrayed the Savior, ineom-
petent officers are elected to
places of trust and sell their
constituents out; incompetent
teachers are employed to teach
our schools, and even great dis-
turbances are created in our
churches besides many other e-
vils too numerous to mention.
Very true indeed is that passage
of scripture which says "Mon-
ey is the root of all evil."

At the Republican convention
held at Irvine on the 16th inst.,
the following was contained in
the set of resolutions adopted:

"We renew our allegiance to
the principles of the Republican
party as enunciated in the plat-
form of our national convention
at St. Louis in 1896, with the
exception that we do not ap-
prove of that clause that up-
holds civil service and we here
condemn and emphatically ex-
press our abomination of the e-
vil service laws and declare that
it is not in keeping with the
spirit and intentions of our Amer-
ican government to uphold and
foster same. We now register
our firm and decided protest
against said law. We condemn
any law that favors monarchy.

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Don't deceive yourself with the
idea that the war tax which com-
pells you to put a stamp on al-
most everything from Uncle Jo-
siah's bridle pup to aunt Jemi-
ma's speckled hen, is only tem-
porary, and will be repealed in a
few months. Like the seven-
year itch when a war tax closes
its grip on consumers, it is there
to stay, and in order to keep it
running every man who passes a
gun store while hostilities are on,
is given a pension. The war ex-
penses up to date has been only
\$123,000,000, but it will grow.

The quarantine the State
Board of Health has established
against Jackson county is pret-
ty severe. However, it would
take about one million soldiers
to guard that county if the peo-
ple concluded that they wanted
to go somewhere.—Livingston
Colonel.

Your Time is Up.

If your paper is marked on the
margin "Your Time is Up" it is
there to gently remind you that
your year is out and to give you
an opportunity to pay up and re-
new again or have the paper stop-
ped as you choose. All whose
paper is so marked is owing this
office 50 cents which will be glad-
ly received.

Something About Love.

When a man begins to tell a
woman all his troubles, it's a safe
bet at any odds that he's in love
with her.

No matter how loose the en-
gagement ring may be, the dia-
mond never slips around on the
inside of a girl's finger.

No wonder love grows cold,
considering the amount of clothes
the pictures of cupid show he
doesn't wear.

Old bachelors may be respon-
sible flirts, but the flirts get good
and even by making more old
bachelors.

It is better to make a great ma-
ny men happy by being engaged
to them, than to make one mis-
erable by marrying him.

A man isn't always happy
when a girl returns his love—es-
pecially when she returns it be-
cause she has no use for it.

Flirtation is always fun for
one of the parties concerned; but
sometimes it takes a good while
to find out which one.

When a young man asks a girl
to share his lot, she always wants
to know if he has money enough
to build a house on it.

Notice to Treasurers.

The Treasurers of the various
school districts in Estill county,
are hereby notified to make an itemized
statement of the amount of tax levied and collected,
disbursements and amount still on
hand. Said statement must be
filed in the office of County Supt.
at Irvine, Ky., on or before Sep-
tember 1, 1898.

W. S. Witt, County Supt.

Notice to Hunters.

All persons are hereby notified
that all hunting and trapping is
forbidden on any and all land
belonging to the undersigned.

B. S. Burgher.

The oldest house in the United
States is at Saint Augustine, Fla.
It was built in the year 1564, as
a monastery, and is now occupi-
ed as the winter abode of a north-
ern millionaire. The walls are
formed of sea shells mixed with
mortar.—Exchange.

Owing to the increase of bus-
iness, the Lexington postoffice
will soon be supplied with ma-
chines for canceling stamps.

The following is said to be an
excellent remedy for destroying
cabbage worms: Bruise a lot of
tomato vines and steep them
in hot water. When cool sprink-
le the liquid portion on the
cabbage.

Local Markets.

Spoutspring, Ky., July 30.

The following are prices paid
by produce dealers of this place:

| | |
|-----------------|--------|
| Apples | 3 |
| Beans | 1@3 |
| Beef hides | 4 |
| Beeswax | 18 |
| Corn | 50 |
| Eggs | 6 |
| Feathers | 30 |
| Ginseng | \$2.00 |
| Spring chickens | 8 |
| Hens | 4 |

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A HOME-MADE PAPER.

SPOUTSPRING, KY.
SATURDAY, JULY 30, 1898.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Dog days set in Monday.

Another picnic will be had at Clay City today.

Home-grown water-melons are on the market.

The Times prints all the local news all the time.

George W. Ginter, of College Hill, was here this week.

A fellow is always anxious to work when he isn't able.

The Teacher's Institute will be held at Irvine next week.

The dove shooting season begins in this State August 1.

There has been an abundance of rain for the past two weeks.

The acreage of tobacco in this State is placed at 237,038 acres.

Richmond is to have a cigar factory employing thirty hands.

We have seen several nice strings of fish caught this week.

Born, Wednesday, July 27, to John W. Tuttle and wife, a girl.

Nicholasville proposes to hold a centennial celebration September 11.

In a dispute over fifty cents, Otis Malecote killed Lee Pigg near Berea.

Morgan McKinney, of Wade's Mill, was in town two days of this week on business.

Robt. B. Neal lost a valuable oxen Wednesday, by being overheat while at work hauling logs.

Complaints are coming in from all over the State that much of the wheat in shocks is sprouting.

The best way to do in this life is to imitate the postage stamp—stick to one thing till you get there.

Herbert Heflin and T. W. Barrow, of Montgomery county, were here yesterday buying cattle.

Uncle Hiram Gilly will please accept our thanks for a fine cabbage head, also, some water-melons and musk-melons.

R. King returned from the mountains yesterday where he had bought a bunch of five nice, red yearling heifers for \$60.00.

Mrs. A. E. Sams and little daughter, Jodella, of Enid, O.T., arrived here yesterday to visit relatives and friends at this place.

Patronize a Home Industry.

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JAS. T. HAMILTON, Proprietor,

John W. Barnett and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dawson visited Grant Elkin Wednesday night and tried their luck fishing.

H. C. Hall was in town Wednesday with his left hand in a sling. He was hauling wood and by accident badly crushed his middle finger.

Miss Cynthia Christopher, after a protracted visit to relatives and friends in this end of the county, returned to her home at Irvine Wednesday.

If you fail to get the Times you fail to get the news, thus you fail to keep yourself posted on affairs that should interest you most—home affairs.

Mt. Sterling and Winchester have each furnished a company of colored troops for the Eighth Volunteers Infantry, which is being mobilized, at Newport.

The protracted meeting at the Vaughn's Mill Christian church continues with much interest manifested. There has been a number of accessions to the church.

Down in Western Kentucky a good Elder was called upon to pray for rain and he started off as follows: "Well, I'll pray, but it won't do any good so long as the wind is in the east."

It has been said that a man who subscribes for and pays for his home paper is never bitten by a mad dog. As mad dogs are becoming very numerous we anticipate a boom in our subscription list.

James T. Hamilton, proprietor of the Madison Monumental Works, Richmond, has been here this week putting up work of his kind for various parties in this county. Mr. Hamilton gets a great deal of work to do in this section all of which gives

perfect satisfaction.

All the news goes into the Times while its news.

Sammie Woods, of Kiddville, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Andy Crow, near this place.

Spain is now asking of Uncle Sam his terms of peace. From this she seems to have 'nough.

H. W. Herndon threshed 1,050 bushels of wheat from thirty-two acres, an average of over thirty bushels.—Richmond Clipper.

We would appreciate very much to have farmers and everybody else who comes to this town, to drop into our office when here as we wish to publish the news of adjoining localities.

There was dinner on the ground at both the upper and lower churches on Hardwick's creek Sunday. Ample provisions were spread at each place for many more than were present to eat it.

Henry Spencer, of Lexington, a bachelor, who was much addicted to drink, leaped from the fourth story of the Cart building, in which he roomed, at midnight and was instantly killed.

Wanted—A copy of Collin's History of Kentucky.

W. E. Heflin.

Lexington & Eastern Railway.

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Effective May 15, 1898.

EAST BOUND.

| STATIONS. | No. 2 Daily ex. Sun. | No. 4 Daily. |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | P. M. | A. M. |
| Lv. Lexington . . . | 2 30 | 7 45 |
| " Montrose . . . | 2 45 | 8 00 |
| " Avon . . . | 2 55 | 8 10 |
| " Wyandotte . . . | 3 02 | 8 17 |
| " Winchester . . . | 3 15 | 8 30 |
| " Glenarvon . . . | 3 20 | 8 38 |
| Fairlie . . . | 3 27 | 8 45 |
| Indian Fields . . . | 3 48 | 9 00 |
| Clay City . . . | 4 01 | 9 16 |
| Stanton . . . | 4 11 | 9 25 |
| Rosslyn . . . | 4 17 | 9 31 |
| Filson . . . | 4 24 | 9 38 |
| Dundee . . . | 4 45 | 9 47 |
| Natural Bridge . . . | 4 40 | 9 54 |
| Glencairn . . . | 4 44 | 9 58 |
| Torrent . . . | 4 54 | 10 08 |
| Fincastle . . . | 5 08 | 10 22 |
| Beattyville Junct. . . | 5 16 | 10 29 |
| Beattyville . . . { Lv. | 5 40 | 10 00 |
| B. & C. O. Ry. { Ar. | 5 43 | 10 45 |
| Lv. Three Fork City . . . | 5 26 | 10 39 |
| Tallega . . . | 5 40 | 10 51 |
| Athol . . . | 5 48 | 10 59 |
| Oakdale . . . | 5 55 | 11 06 |
| Elkatawa . . . | 6 12 | 11 22 |
| Jackson . . . | 6 20 | 11 30 |

WEST BOUND.

| STATIONS. | No. 1 Daily ex. Sun. | No. 2 Daily. |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| | A. M. | P. M. |
| Lv. Jackson . . . | 5 40 | 2 25 |
| " Elkatawa . . . | 5 48 | 2 38 |
| " Oakdale . . . | 6 04 | 2 49 |
| " Athol . . . | 6 11 | 2 56 |
| Tallega . . . | 6 19 | 3 04 |
| Three Forks City . . . | 6 31 | 3 16 |
| Beattyville Junct. . . | 6 41 | 3 26 |
| Beattyville . . . { Lv. | 6 20 | 3 00 |
| B. & C. O. Ry. { Ar. | 7 00 | 5 48 |
| Lv. Fincastle . . . | 6 48 | 3 38 |
| Torrent . . . | 7 02 | 3 47 |
| Glencairn . . . | 7 12 | 3 56 |
| Natural Bridge . . . | 7 18 | 4 01 |
| Dundee . . . | 7 28 | 4 06 |
| Filson . . . | 7 24 | 4 24 |
| Rosslyn . . . | 7 41 | 4 30 |
| Stanton . . . | 7 48 | 4 35 |
| Clay City . . . | 7 57 | 4 44 |
| Indian Fields . . . | 8 14 | 4 59 |
| Fairlie . . . | 8 31 | 5 18 |
| Glenarvon . . . | 8 38 | 5 20 |
| Winchester . . . | 8 44 | 5 25 |
| Wyandotte . . . | 8 58 | 5 38 |
| Avon . . . | 9 04 | 5 45 |
| Montrose . . . | 9 18 | 5 55 |
| Lexington . . . | 9 30 | 6 10 |

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Henry White, of Paint Lick, is over for a week's stay with his brother-in-law, Bill Edge. My, how the fish will fly.

There is a strong probability of truth in the European rumor that the terms of peace were practically understood before Spain formally asked for peace. We believe that Cuba will be surrendered, and possibly Porto Rico, and nothing more.—Louisville Dispatch.

George Stockton Dead.

Prof. George Stockton, well known throughout the county as a prominent school teacher, died Monday night at his home at Waco, aged 49 years.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Vaughn's Mill.

James T. Hamilton, of Richmond, was here this week.

Miss Ella Swope, of Wade's Mill, was visiting relatives here from Saturday till Monday.

The protracted meeting conducted by Rev. Combs is still in progress, and will continue until Sunday night.

Miss Mayme and Loula Rupard who have been visiting here for several days returned to their home at Wade's Mill Wednesday.

Nathan B. Jackson, formerly of Gibson City, Ill., was here this week. He left Tuesday for Lexington to enlist in Colson's regiment.

Messrs. Chas. Rupard, Amos Boone, Wm. Swope, Chas. Tapp, Marion Rupard, Marshall Blackwell, of Wade's Mill, were visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Small-Pox Quarantine.

Guards are placed along the Jackson county line to maintain a quarantine against the county as declared by the State Board of Health on account of the small-pox epidemic in Jackson.

Tollgate raiders have appeared again in Shelby county. Using dynamite to demolish toll gates and unoccupied tollhouses.

Over at Mt. Sterling Mrs. Robt. Plaunck, sold her milk cow for \$27. She took the money home and wrapped it up in a piece of paper. A small child picking up the scraps around the sewing machine, threw it into the fire.

Grass Land For Rent.

I have about 35 or 40 acres of good grass for rent, or will take in stock to graze. Any one wanting grass would do well to see me. D. N. Witt, Sams, Ky.

